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**PATENT**  
**Customer No. 22,852**  
**Attorney Docket No. 5725.0993-00**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re National Stage of International Application No. PCT/FR00/01257 of: )  
Sandrine DECOSTER et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1617  
Application No.: 10/018,769 ) Examiner: Gina C. Yu  
PCT Filed: May 10, 2000 ) Confirmation No.: 2464  
National Stage Entry: December 21, 2001 )  
For: COMPOSITION CONTAINING AN )  
OPACIFIER OR PEARLESCENT )  
AGENT AND AT LEAST TWO )  
FATTY ALCOHOLS )

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2005, the period for response which has been extended by the accompanying petition and fee, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper which begin on page 2.

**Remarks** follow the amendment sections of this paper which begin on page 11.